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For: **SYSTEM FOR SYNCHRONIZING THE PLAYBACK OF TWO OR MORE CONNECTED  
PLAYBACK DEVICES USING CLOSED CAPTIONING**

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- [X] Specification (23 Pages of Specification, Claims, & Abstract);
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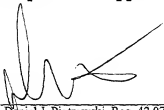
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